FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

PHILADELPHIA MUNICIPAL COURT

President Judge Administrative Order

No. 7 of 2023

In re: Emergency Appointment of Substitute Court Magistrate

ORDER

AND NOW, this 24th day of March, 2023, this Court finds that due to the increase

of volume in search warrant applications and arraignments, as well as a temporary

reduction of legal staff attorneys stemming from vacations and medical issues, along with

magisterial attendance at mandatory seminars, an emergency exists which requires the

appointment of qualified attorneys who are court employees to act as substitute court

magistrates, as provided in 42 Pa.C.S.A. § 1125, and therefore, it is hereby ORDERED

and DECREED that the following court employees of the Philadelphia Municipal Court

Emergency Protection From Abuse Division shall act as substitute Court Magistrates, when

called upon, with all duties and powers vested in the duly appointed Philadelphia

Magistrates, as requested by the President Judge from time to time. They are as follows:

WILLIAM LOVE, ESQUIRE

ELIZABETH CANAPARY, ESQUIRE

BY THE COURT:

/s/ Patrick F. Dugan

Patrick F. Dugan, President Judge Philadelphia Municipal Court